

## Richardson Police Department News Release

July 16, 2015

Aggravated Assault
1010 South Central Expressway
Richardson, Texas

On July 16, 2015, at approximately 3:40 AM Richardson Police responded to the IHOP restaurant, located at 1010 South Central Expressway. Witnesses reported seeing a dark skinned black male in the parking lot shooting what was described as rifle at a motor vehicle. Multiple rounds had been fired at the fleeing vehicle. Officers arrived on scene and a search of the area did not produce a suspect or a victim. A short time later Dallas Police Department reported that they were on scene at Central Expressway and Fitzhugh with a Chevrolet Caprice that had damage from multiple gunshots. They also had three adult males who had suffered gunshot wounds. Two of the victims were transported to Baylor Hospital – Dallas and the third to Parkland Hospital.

Update: 7-16-15

Investigators believe at least one vehicle followed the fleeing Caprice to the Central Expressway / Fitzhugh location. At that location, additional shots were fired at the Caprice before the suspect(s) fled the scene. That pursuing vehicle has been described as a dark colored Chrysler. The initial meeting between the two parties appears to have been pre-arranged and was not random. No one nearby or at the restaurant was hurt during the shooting.

The investigation continues with investigators questioning involved parties and following up with leads as they develop. If anyone has information involving this incident, they are encouraged to call the Richardson Police Department at 972-744-4800.